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WAS SUBMITTED FOR THE RECORD BEFORE  
OR AT THE PLANNING COMMISSION HEARING  
ON THIS ITEM WHICH IS NOW APPEARING  
BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL**

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February 16, 2007

Andrew P. Reed, Planning Supervisor      email: areed@lasvegasnevada.gov  
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Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

Re: Site Development Plan Review   SDR-18206  
     Variance   VAR-18210  
     Special Use Permit   SUP-19129  
     Rezoning   ZON-18208

Dear Mr. Reed,

As the owner of the directly adjacent property, we are strongly opposed to a zone change from R-1 to C-2. We are also opposed to any variance or special use permit etc. that may effect the quiet enjoyment of our property or the neighborhood in general.

Our property is a 304 unit senior apartment community know as, Country Club at the Meadows. All of our residents are 55+ with an average age of 70+.

Our community is behind security gates and is very low density. Those two factors contribute to our business success in that location. Virtually, all of our residents rent from us because of the ambiance of the grounds and the atmosphere of quiet peaceful surroundings.

When we bought our property about four years ago, one of our considerations for purchase was that certain parts of the adjacent property are R-1. This zoning is compatible with our property and does not pose any noise problems and other problems associated with commercial development.

There is no question that this proposed zone change etc. will impact our elderly residents negatively and that will cause us economic hardship on an operational level and will depress the value of our property.



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We would be agreeable to arrange a site visit of our property with the members of the planning commission that have jurisdiction over this decision so that they can see the situation first hand. I am sure that the 500 or so residents that live at Country Club at the Meadows will feel the same way as we do when they are made aware of the proposed zone changes being considered on the adjacent property.

Please call us at the above phone number to discuss this issue further and please keep us in the loop as to all decision making on this issue.

Sincerely,

Don and Pam Gaines

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February 21, 2007

Via Fax No. 702-385-7268 & Mail

Honorable Planning Commission  
City of Las Vegas  
731 S. Fourth Street  
Las Vegas, NV 89101

Re.: Opposition to ZON-18208, VAR-18210, SUP- 19129 And SDR- 18206 -  
proposed expansion of existing Body shop on Meadows Lane by Applicant Fletcher Jones  
Management Group, Inc.

Dear Honorable Planning Commission Members:

We are the owners of the Target/Big Lots Anchored Shopping Center directly located across the street from the subject property.


First, we would like to inform you that we have never been contacted by the Applicant or any of their representatives to see if we have any questions or concerns with their proposed project across the street. We have seen the staff report for the first time only a few hours ago.

With All due respect, and with concerns similar in nature to those raised by your staff members in their staff report recommending a denial of the applications, we oppose the proposed zone change and other entitlements sought by this applicant for this property. The pending applications seek unreasonably necessary waivers for setbacks, screening, architectural compatibility, landscaping, traffic, visibility, and most importantly parking.

This project is simply too massive and it does not belong here in this location: And, in our opinion, it will substantially degrade and devalue the surrounding residential homes and Businesses. We are also concerned by the lack of an EIR adequately studying and assessing the potential project generated increases in noise, traffic, Air Quality, Hazardous material( handling & storage), potential for area Contamination and pollution, health , safety, crime and other effects on the property itself and the area surrounding it.

We would appreciate your denial of the project for reasons stated here to for and/or for those reasons stated in your own staff report recommending denial of the Various applications by this Applicant.

Sincerely,



Albert Cohen

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February 22, 2007

Honorable Planning Commission  
City of Las Vegas  
731 S. Fourth Street  
Las Vegas, NV 89101

Via Fax No. 702-385-7268 & Mail

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Re.: Opposition to ZON-18208, VAR-18210, SUP- 19129 And SDR- 18206 -  
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Management Group, Inc.

Dear Honorable Planning Commission Members:

We would like to clarify our letter of yesterday that we will not be opposed to the construction of this project if it's reduced in size, architecturally enhanced, and the applicant can demonstrate to us that it will not negatively impact the surrounding properties and area.

Thanking you in advance for your attention to this matter..

Sincerely,



Albert Cohen